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ITS GRAND TOTAL.

Minneapolis newspapers bring glowing accounts of the resource which that city will have in the way of waterpower when the new dam is completed. The figures for the power that will be developed are instructive for the citizens of Montana, when they are put in contrast with the spiendid possibilities at Great Falls. Gradually this glorious power in Cascade county is finding its way into practical use. The Boston and Montana Copper company is placing in position a water wheel capable of yielding 2,800 horse-powerthe largest wheel ever built for a head of forty-five feet-and two dynamos teen hundred horse-power, for transmission of power to the company's electrolytic plant.

Thousands of people who live in Montana have visited the cascades at Great Falls, yet their relative availability as a force in manufacture, as measured by the water-power in other manufacturing centers, is a matter not well understood except by those who have acquainted themselves with the figures. Here is a trustworthy table showing how the water at Great Falls, measured in horse-power, compares with that which has served to make famous, as manufacturing centers, certain American cities. The figures for Minneapolis are on the basis of the horse-power that will be available when the new dam is completed: Minneapolis, Minn...... 35,000

| Holyoke, Mass. | 12.260 | Manchester, N. H. | 12.000 | Lowell, Mass. | 11.845 | Lewiston, Maine. | 11.000 | Lawrence, Mass. | 10.900 | Cchoes, N. Y. | 6.500 | Great Palls, Mont. | 380.000

more than thirty times' the available water-power of Holyoke, or Manchester, and eleven times as much as Minneapolis, while the combined waterpower of the seven towns named, is not more than one-fourth as much as this at the falls of the Missouri. The power at Niagara Falls is probably the greatest in the world, but it is doubtful if more power can be made available there than at the falls of the Missouri. The power of Niagara is concentrated in one grand pitch of 150 feet, which will forever make it difficult and very expensive to utilize. while that at Great Falls is distributed over a series of falls, having an aggregate pitch of 512 feet; and the power can be cheaply developed.

Proof abounds showing that the power can be profitably employed. Six years ago, the first blow was struck in the improvement of the Upper or Black Eagle Falls. There is already employed, or will be, in a few days, a total of 10,000 horse-power, day and night, or nearly as much as the entire available power at either Lewiston or Lawrence. This employment of power at Great Falls for the treatment of ores, is an object lesson, and will be speedily followed by a still greater absorption of the water-power for similar purposes. As this power is easily developed, it can be sold at a very low price-certainly not more than a fifth the cost of steam power.

Within the sound of these falls, an unlimited quantity of steam and coking coal is found, which constitute a powerful auxiliary to the waterpower, in the treatment of ores and

metals. This water-nower will be chiefly employed in the treatment of ores, and the working of metals, because it has for a tributary country not only the mountain ranges of Montana, covering an area of more than 60,000 square miles, but also the extension of the Rocky Mountains into British America, for hundreds of miles. This mineral domain is rich in iron, copper, lead, silver and gold, and its products will come down to Great Falls as naturally as the products of the Dakota and Minnesota wheat fields go to the water-power at Minneapolis. Then, too, the falls of the Missouri have no rival between Minneapolis and Spokane. They have practically an absolute monopoly of water-power in all this Rocky mountain region.

Many are the gentle lines that were written for the press last week following the announcement of the death of genial John Chamberlin. He was this country's most famous host, but he was more than that-he was the esteemed friend and frequent companion of men who have been foremost in public life during the past thirty-five years. At first a conspicuous figure among the oldtime heroes in Mississippi steamboat days, Chamberlin was, later in life, the proprietor of one of the most famous resorts in the country for wellknown men-it occupied the site where to-day the Hoffman house in New York city stands. For years, "Chamberlin's" has been Washington's best-known trysting place for men of fame in statesmanship or politics. The tenth will never be known respecting the schemes that have been laid or the plans that have been perfected under John Chamberlin's hospitable roof.

SOME NOVEL NAMES.

"Boltocrat" is the newest word in the political dictionary of the year. It is applied by the Cincinnati Enquirer, which is for free coinage, to the gold democrats who are backing the bolters' convention at Indianapolis. Politics is furnishing many new titles. Democrats of free-silver faith are called "popocrats" by the goldbug press-the New York Sun calls them "pop-rats." The names invented for the factions that have figured in politics are many, but few of them survive. A good knowledge of the country's history would be needed were one to attempt to tell offhand what political wing was described by the names, "barnburner," "hunker," "stalwart," "half-breed," "doughtace," "mudsill" and the rest. In our day Texas appears to be especially prolific of new creations-down there they have the "lily whites," "the coattail swingers" and other brands of politics. Not many of these titles are happy hits, most of them soon pass out of use.

In his latest speech, Thomas B. Reed said that "the silver question is a universal disease and you cannot cure it by local applications." This remark fell under Bryan's eye who said, in addressing an audience at Albany: "Our opponents sometimes tell us that this silver sentiment is a disease. It is not a disease. The silver sentiment is the outgrowth of a condition, and you cannot destroy the condition out of which that sentiment arose. I can retailate upon our opponents and tell them that this new gold-standard idea is a disease—it is the new yellow fever."

DOWNED ONCE MORE.

A significant incident in republican polities of last week was Warner Miller's experience in being thrown over the breastworks once more. Miller knows what it is to be defeated, but he goes at it again under the delusion that he is a big man and that he can win. He started out this year to whip Platt, and he has received the soundest thrashing that has ever been visited upon him.

Warner Miller was a member of the New York senate nearly twenty years ago. In 1881, when Conkling and Platt resigned, Miller, after the memorable fight at Albany, was elected for Platt's unfinished term in the senate. He was not a success. He tried for a full term and was defeated. Thereafter he was up and down in politics-down most of the time. He was always wanting something-he ran for governor in 1888 and was badly beaten by Hill. He has many old scores to settle; this year he thought his time had come. He started out early for McKinley, after the New York republicans had chosen him as a delegate-at-large instructed for Morton. After the nomination at St. Louis, Miller felt sure that he was on top-imagine his chagrin when Hanna went to New York and put the management of the New York Mckinley campaign in Platt's hands.

Miller's experience in last week's Saratoga convention was interesting; it was rather unique. He and his friends had been defeated in his own county for membership in the convention. They presented themselves as contestants. The report of the committee on credentials was against Miller, of course; it was Platt's convention. When the report was presented, Miller proposed to talk, but the crowd wouldn't have it that way -the cry was that Miller had no rights on the floor. He had some friends among the delegates, and when they applauded the other side hissed. Great was the din. During a luil, the chairman asked derisively. "from what county does the gentleman come?

Then up rose Platt, and he said:

"Mr. Chairman, I hope that the gentleman will be heard." There was instant silence. Miller was heard, and he met the situation in a clever way by starting, in with these sarcastic words in reference to Platt: "I did not believe that this convention would refuse me a hearing, but it seems, sir, that it took the power of one man to grant me that hearing, and I return my thanks for his courtesy in commanding the convention to listen

Miller had his say, but it availed nothing. The convention refused to seat him and, for the first time in thirty years, he took his seat among the spectators in a New York republican convention. He is down, as usual, but he will be up and at it again, and be downed again, probably.

THOSE GOLD MEN.

Roswell P. Flower, a Wall-street operator, is one of the democrats who promised that, in New York, Bryan "wouldn't know he is running." Flower is the merest figurehead; there isn't a school district in his state that he can carry—he has lately issued from an unsuccessful fight against the silver democrats in Jefferson county which has always been his home.

The talk is that Mr. Flower will be the temporary chairman at the Indianapolis gold convention. This word follows the announcement that Cockran will be permanent presiding officer. These two men may cut a very large figure in Indiana; in the New York democratic state convention they will not be knee high.

From all the information that can be gleaned out of the eastern press, the conclusion can be drawn that the effort to awaken interest in the Indianapolis convention is fruitless. For a time curiosity was aroused regarding the way in which President Cleveland would relate himself to the movement, but the public seems now not to care whether Mr. Cleveland favors the independent ticket or leaves it alone; the popular presumption is that he will do what he can for McKinley.

A presidential campaign in New York run by Flower and Cockran would amuse the people in that state.

Mr. Cleveland can at least solace himself with the thought that he has received the endorsement of Li Hang Chang.

Mark Hanna's motto is said to be

"don't be too sanguine." Such advice to the McKinleyites is entirely uncalled for.

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The charges of butchery making no impression on the sultan, we would suggest the trial of a few charges of grape and canister.

Several accidents have been occurring in Helena the past few days both in racing and political circles.

We infer from the crescendo hoots and hisses of the gold press of New England that George Fred Williams is making a base hit every time he comes

The "straws" that are appearing in some of the gold papers of the East should be saved for stuffing a new issue of scarecrows.

Although Mr. McKinley is not addicted to strong drink, when he reads of the enormous crowds Bryan is drawing he feels like indulging in considerable strong language.

Just at present Montana state pelitics consists largely of highly interesting and difficult feats of jugglery.

An Indiana judge has ruled that sidewalk gatherings for the discussion of the financial question are not obstructions of the highways and cannot be legally stopped. The rights of middleof-the-road crowds have not yet been judicially determined.

If they give Li Hung Chang a fair chance he will probably make quite a hit in New York. Li is addicted to China's national vice and never travels without his pipe.

Although Flower, of New York, will be temporary chairman of the Indianapolis gold convention, the flower of the democratic party won't be there.

For a dead issue Mr. McKinley devoted a great deal of space to the free coinage question, and he wasn't writing its obituary either.

If Mrs. Lease carries out her fell purpose to answer Bourke Cockran, it is gravely to be feared that Cockran's speech may not be such a failure after all.

If Governor Rickards is renominated, as now seems probable, the Billings Gazette's lectures to bolting republicans will at least be fewer and less severe.

As a result of Mark Hanna's trip to Boston, it is feared that Boston baked beans for a while will lack their customary flavoring of fat.

The New York World thinks it is a "subtle compliment" that Li Hung Chang pays us in not bringing his coffin with him to America. Evidently Earl Li is no more afraid of Anarchist Bryan than anybody else.

The American Hay Fever association has been holding its annual convention and its proceedings presumably are not to be sneezed at.

The free coinage question is simply one of dollars and sense.

Judging by the returns of last night's republican primaries, the A. P. As, of Anaconda do not appear to be a mighty and magnificent torrent irresistibly sweeping all before them.

Murat Haistead telegraphs the New York Journal from Saratoga that when he pressed Mr. Piatt for a definition of his position he replied: "I do not

want to be governor, but to be just a plain, simple boss." Mr. Platt has always been a plain boss, but except when he ran up against Hanna never a very simple one.

And now it is the New York Tribune which says that "it begins to attract attention that the most experienced and careful observers of the West find the silver sentiment rapidly waning." Bless your soul, so experienced and careful an observer as Grover Cleveland found as long ago as 1893 that it had reached the vanishing point.

The campaign of education is progressing favorably. Many of the gold men have already learned to respect Mr. Bryan if not his ideas.

A part of the cordiality of the greeting between Li and Cleveland may be attributed to the fact that both have been stripped of their yellow jackets.

MEN AND WOMEN.

Mrs. Annie L. Webb is the only woman in Idaho who is in the life insurance

M. Jean Cayron of Vibrac, France, has just had his 20th child christened. Eighteen of his children are alive and healthy. The biggest sword in the British army at the present time is that of Captain Oswald Ames of the Second Life guards, who is the tallest man in the army.

The Rev. George M. Grant, principal of Queen's college, Kingston, Canada, advacates a crusade in order to the ver the Armenian Christians from the Turks.

When a patriotic Frenchman asked Calve, with a falling inflection, if it were possible she meant to return to America again this year she returned: "They pet me there; you scold me here; why shouldn't I?"

A. B. Jones of Newnau county, Georgia, is 72 years old, has a wife to support and only has one arm with which to work. He owns a little home of 27 acres, all uplands, and yet on this he is making a good living. He raises no cotton, but has an abundance of corn, meat and the usual farm supplies. He is independent and

out of debt.

Mrs. Rhoda Cooley, wife of Moses Cooley, a farmer living near Lafayette, Ind., has sued for divorce and alimony, alleging, among other things, that for years her husband has refused to buy her new bonnets, saying that millinery was a device of the devil to ruin the fair sex. Cruelty is also charged. The couple have been married since 1878 and have considerable property.

The court of Pope Leo XIII. comprises 1,000 persons. There are 20 valets, 120 house prelates, 170 privy chamberlains, 6 chamberlains, 300 extra honorary chamberlains, 130 supernumerary chamberlains, 30 officers of the noble guard and 60 guardsmen, 14 officers of the Swiss guard and police guard, 7 honorary chaplains, 20 private secretaries, 10 stewards and masters of the horse and 60 door-

Li Hung Chang, as observed by the English reporters, goes to bed at 9:30 o'clock. This is the habit of years, from which there is no deviation. He rises at 5:30 o'clock. This is the rule, subject to occasional variation. His personal attendants stands silently in his room at the time named. If, as occurs at long intervals, he does not awake, then he is left to sleep on. His attendants continue motionless, for they have orders not to arouse their master.

Both the Tribuna of Rome and the Secola of Milan assert that Pope Leo XIII. is a very ill man, whose sufferings wrought by rheumatism are something terrible. Dr. Lapponi, the special physician at the vatican, will now allow no interviews. The pope rarely ventures out into the gardens, and when he does he is supported, almost carried, by his attendants. The last public audience was given by the pope on Aug. 4, when he was visited by the American pilgrims.

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Queen Victoria, as an expression of her own and England's gratitude to the Breton fisherfolk for their services to the living and the dead after the wreck of the Drummond Castle, has had a commemorative silver medal struck and will cause it to be distributed to all who bore a share in these offices of humanity and devotion. It bears on one side the head of the queen and on the other an inscription which shows that it is "a token of gratitude from Queen Victoria."

BLOOMERS.

Some observing man observed (How, I've never thought to ask), That Kentucky maidens' bloomers Have a pocket for a flask; That the cycling girl of Texas As she rides is not afraid—She provides a pistol pocket When she has her bloomers made;

That the bloomer girl of Boston,
Always cool and wisely frowning,
Has a pocket in her bloomers
Where she carries Robert Browning;
That the Daisy Bell of Kansas
Who has donned the cycling breeches,
Has a pocket in her bloomers
Where she carries campaign speeches;
That Chicago's wheeling woman,
When her cycle makes rotations,

Where she carries pork quotations;
That Milwaukee's cycling beauties,
As they pedal day by day,
Have a tiny secret pocket
Where a corckscrew's stored away;
That the Gotham bloomer damsel,
Whom Manhattan dudes admire,
Has a tutti-frutti pocket

Full of gum to mend her tire.

—Toledo Blade.

Oh, praise me not with your lips, dear

one,
Though your tender words I prize;
But dearer by far is the soulful gaze
Of your eyes, your beautiful eyes,
Your tender, loving eyes.

Oh, chide me not with your lips, dear one. Though I cause your bosom sighs;

one,
Though I cause your bosom sighs;
You can make repentance deeper far
By your sad, reproving eyes,
Your sorrowful, troubled eyes.

Words, at least, are but hollow sounds;
Above in the beaming skies
The constant stars say never a word,
But only smile with their eyes—

Smile on with their lustrous eyes.

Then breathe no vow with your lips, dear one.
On the winged wind speech flies.

But I read the truth of your noble heart
In your soulful, speaking eyes—
In your deep and beautiful eyes.
—New York Herald.

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From Up-to-Date,
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yer like to be an angel?"
Sam'l Fewcloze—"Not er bit. Think
of the work it'd take to keep yer wings
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